

5 UNDER 25



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Assistant Director of Quad Innovation Partnership

Beka graduated from CC in 2016 as an Economics major and Russian minor. After graduating, she started at the [Colorado Springs Chamber of Commerce and Economic Development Corporation](#) as a community development intern, then became their Economic Development Analyst. She worked to attract top talent into the city, foster the local entrepreneurial community, and create tools for local businesses. Beka now works as the Associate Director of the [Quad Innovation Partnership](#), a partnership between CC, UCCS, PPCC, and the Air Force Academy focused on supporting students in building their careers doing things that matter. As a part of the Quad, she builds programs that elevate paid, project-based learning opportunities for students, educate graduating innovators, and incubate leaders capable of building solutions to our community's most compelling problems.

Beka has worked on projects connecting college students to the greater Colorado Springs community and has connected many CC students with local organizations for internships and jobs. She is always happy to connect any CC student to the Colorado Springs business community.



Meet Beka in Block 5 // January 29, 12:15 // Career Center

Beka is part of the **5 Under 25** series from the Career Center, which features CC alumni under the age of 25 in a variety of fields.

RSVP to the Career Center to reserve a one-on-one with Beka as well as a spot at the group lunch on January 29th!

